



CARIBBEAN SECONDARY EDUCATION CERTIFICATE EXAMINATIONS

TIMETABLE - JANUARY 2020

2020	MORNING	AFTERNOON
Friday 03 January	ENGLISH A 2 General - 2 hr 40 min	ENGLISH A 1 General - 1 hr 30 min
Monday 06 January	MATHEMATICS 2 General - 2 hr 40 min	MATHEMATICS 1 General - 1 hr 30 min
Tuesday 07 January	PRINCIPLES OF BUSINESS 2 General - 2 hr	PRINCIPLES OF BUSINESS 1 General - 1 hr 15 min * PRINCIPLES OF BUSINESS 3/2*** General 1 hr 15 min
Wednesday 08 January	PRINCIPLES OF ACCOUNTS 2 General - 3 hr	PRINCIPLES OF ACCOUNTS 1 General - 1 hr 30 min * PRINCIPLES OF ACCOUNTS 3/2*** General - 1 hr 30 min
Thursday 09 January	OFFICE ADMINISTRATION 2 General - 2 hr	OFFICE ADMINISTRATION 1 General - 1 hr 15 min * OFFICE ADMINISTRATION 3/2*** General 1 hr 45 min
Friday 10 January	SOCIAL STUDIES 2 General - 2 hr 40 min	SOCIAL STUDIES 1 General - 1 hr 15 min * SOCIAL STUDIES 3/2*** General - 1 hr 10 min

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* A 15-minute break

2020	MORNING	AFTERNOON
Monday 13 January	CHEMISTRY 2 General - 2 hr 30 min ENGLISH B 2 General - 2 hr 10 min	ENGLISH B 1 General - 2 hr
Tuesday 14 January	**ENGLISH A 3/2*** General – 2 hr **ENGLISH B 3/2*** General – 2 hr	BIOLOGY 2 General - 2 hr 30 min
Wednesday 15 January	SPANISH 2 General - 2 hr 15 min	SPANISH 1 General - 1 hr 15 min PHYSICS 2 General - 2 hr 30 min
Thursday 16 January	HUMAN AND SOCIAL BIOLOGY 2 General – 2 hr	HUMAN AND SOCIAL BIOLOGY 1 General – 1 hr 15 min
Friday 17 January	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY 2 General - 2 hr 15 min	PHYSICS 1 General - 1 hr 15 min * PHYSICS 3/2*** General - 2 hr 10 min
Monday 20 January	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY 1 General - 1 hr 30 min * INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY 3/2*** General - 1 hr 30 min	CHEMISTRY 1 General - 1 hr 15 min * CHEMISTRY 3/2*** General - 2 hr 10 min
Tuesday 21 January	BIOLOGY 1 General - 1 hr 15 min * BIOLOGY 3/2*** General - 2 hr 10 min	MATHEMATICS 3/2*** General - 1 hr

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** Common Paper

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KEY TO JANUARY 2020 TIMETABLE

SUBJECT	PAPER NO.	DATE	SESSION
1. Biology (General)	1+ 2+ 3/2*+	21 January 14 January 21 January	AM (1 hr 15 min) PM (2 hr 30 min) AM (2 hr 10 min)
2. Chemistry (General)	1+ 2+ 3/2*+	20 January 13 January 20 January	PM (1 hr 15 min) AM (2 hr 30 min) PM (2 hr 10 min)
3. English A (General)	1 2 3/2*+	03 January 03 January 14 January	PM (1 hr 30 min) AM (2 hr 40 min) AM (2 hr)
4. English B (General)	1 2 3/2*+	13 January 13 January 14 January	PM (2 hr) AM (2 hr 10 min) AM (2 hr)
5. Human and Social Biology (General)	1 2	16 January 16 January	PM (1 hr 15 min) AM (2 hr)
6. Information Technology (General)	1 and 3/2*+ 2+	20 January 17 January	AM (3 hr 15 min) AM (2 hr 15 min)
7. Mathematics (General)	1+ 2+ 3/2*+	06 January 06 January 21 January	PM (1 hr 30 min) AM (2 hr 40 min) PM (1 hr)
8. Office Administration (General)	1 and 3/2*+ 2+	09 January 09 January	PM (3 hr 15 min) AM (2 hr)
9. Physics (General)	1+ 2+ 3/2*+	17 January 15 January 17 January	PM (1 hr 15 min) PM (2 hr 30 min) PM (2 hr 10 min)
10. Principles of Accounts (General)	1 and 3/2*+ 2+	08 January 08 January	PM (3 hr 15 min) AM (3 hr)
11. Principles of Business (General)	1 and 3/2*+ 2	07 January 07 January	PM (2 hr 45 min) AM (2 hr)
12. Social Studies (General)	1 and 3/2*+ 2	10 January 10 January	PM (2 hr 40 min) AM (2 hr 40 min)
13. Spanish (General)	1 2 3+	15 January 15 January 27 December 28 December	PM (1 hr 15 min) AM (2 hr 15 min) Oral Exam Begins Oral Exam Ends

+ See notes to Timetable

* Alternative Papers

NOTES TO 2020 JANUARY TIMETABLE

1. The time indicated on the timetable includes Reading Time.
2. Starting times for all centres within a territory are 09:00 hr for the morning session and 13:00 hr for the afternoon session. If at any centre the number of candidates is greater than that which can be accommodated in one session, the Local Registrar may arrange to administer the examination in two or more sessions, ensuring that suitable arrangements are made to preserve the integrity of the examinations.
3. In each territory, the Spanish Oral Examination (Paper 3) will be conducted during the period 27 and 31 December 2019 in accordance with the Local Registrar's schedule.
4. All Paper 1 examinations at the January sitting will be offered in the Multiple Choice format.
5. Attention is drawn to the rule that silent non-programmable scientific calculators may be used in the following examinations:
 - (i) Chemistry
 - (ii) Mathematics - **Papers 2 and 3/2**
 - (iii) Office Administration – **Papers 2 and 3/2**
 - (iv) Physics
 - (v) Principles of Accounts
 - (vi) Principles of Business – **Paper 3/2 only.**
6. **The use of geometry sets (mathematical instruments) is permitted in Biology Paper 2, Mathematics Papers 2 and 3/2, and Social Studies Paper 3/2.**
7. Information Technology Papers 2 and 3/2 (General) are not practical examinations – no computer workstations will be required.
8. The Alternative Paper for Biology, Chemistry and Physics is a practical examination – laboratory facilities will be required.
9. Candidates who register for English A Paper 3/2 and English B Paper 3/2 during the same sitting will be required to write only one examination since both papers will be offered as a common examination.
10. The Alternative Paper to SBA (Paper 3/2) in Biology, Chemistry, English A, English B, Information Technology, Mathematics, Office Administration, Physics, Principles of Accounts, Principles of Business and Social Studies must be written by private/non-school candidates who fall into any of the following categories:
 - (i) sitting for the first time;
 - (ii) sat in a year prior to the May-June 2018 sitting.
11. A 15-minute break is allowed between the following papers:
 - (i) 1 and 3/2 Biology
 - (ii) 1 and 3/2 Chemistry
 - (iii) 1 and 3/2 Information Technology
 - (iv) 1 and 3/2 Office Administration
 - (v) 1 and 3/2 Physics
 - (vi) 1 and 3/2 Principles of Accounts
 - (vii) 1 and 3/2 Principles of Business
 - (viii) 1 and 3/2 Social Studies.